



OFFICE OF INTERVENTION AND DETENTION ALTERNATIVES: PROBATION, SUPERVISED PRETRIAL RELEASE & DRUG/ALCOHOL TESTING

ALIGNING BOARD PRIORITIES WITH OPTIMIZED RESOURCES

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Mission Statement

To provide information to the Courts, which support judicial custody release decisions, and provide alternatives to incarceration to persons accused of crimes and offenders, improve their ability to live lawfully and productively in the community, enhance the overall administration of justice, and support community safety and well-being.

Strategic Initiatives/Support Highlights

Economy

- Provide job search assistance for County Probation and Supervised Pretrial Release clients through private sector partners with 40% of participants successfully completing job readiness training.

Quality of Life

- Administered approximately 13,000 alcohol tests and more than 9,500 drug tests for court-ordered County probationers and defendants released while awaiting trial.
- Supervised 1,927 offenders sentenced to the Community Service and Work Programs, who provided in-kind labor for roadway, greenway, park and facilities maintenance, as well as general public services, valued at \$596,309.

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COURT SERVICES, CASE MANAGEMENT & COMMUNITY SERVICE

- Leon County, through the Office of Intervention and Detention Alternatives (IDA), supports the safety of the entire community, and assists IDA's clients to become productive and responsible citizens.
 - » Maintained an average monthly caseload of 1,413 County probationers and Supervised Pretrial Release defendants.
 - » Recovered more than \$79,000 from probationers for crime victims through court-ordered restitution.
 - » Performed more than 7,400 criminal history reviews and demographic assessments on new arrestees to assist the court in making release decisions.
 - » Administered more than 22,500 court-ordered drug and alcohol tests, and collected more than \$206,000 for testing services.
- Public safety is a critical responsibility of County government. In cooperation with the Leon County Public Safety Coordinating Council, comprised of the State Attorney, Public Defender, Courts, Leon County Sheriff, Tallahassee Police, and Leon County's Office of Intervention and Detention Alternatives, Leon County continues to implement initiatives that serve to manage the jail population and reduce recidivism.



Leon County Courtroom

- » As a prevention/intervention measure, the Public Safety Coordinating Council supported the Domestic Violence Coalition Committees campaign to prevent domestic violence among high school students. With the support of funds provided by the Board of County Commissioners, the campaign will be expanded next year to include behavior management and conflict resolution skills for middle school students.
- » Office Intervention and Detention Alternatives participated in court hearings held during the second annual Veterans Stand Down event by providing pretrial and probation services for homeless veterans.



Did You Know

The Office of Intervention and Detention Alternatives staff logged more than 1,068 hours in hearings providing information to the court to assist in case dispositions.